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Brian Osberg, State Medicaid Director Minnesota Department of Human Services P.O. Box 64983 St. Paul, MN 55164-0983

Dear Mr. Osberg:

Enclosed for your records is an approved copy of the following State Plan Amendment (SPA):

Transmittal #09-016

Estate Recovery

--Effective Date: July 1, 2009

This SPA is approved to the extent that the definition of estate is valid under Minnesota State law. If you have any additional questions, please have a member of your staff contact Charles Friedrich at (608) 442-9125 or by e-mail at Charles.Friedrich@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

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Associate Regional Administrator

Division of Medicaid and Children's Health Operations

cc: Lisa Knazan, MDHS

Enclosure